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MEMO ENDORSED

The Application is granted.

ORDERED:

Paul G. Gardephe, U.S.D.J.

Dated: August 25, 2021

BY ECF AND E-MAIL

Hon. Paul G. Gardephe United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square, Room 2204 New York, New York 10007

Dear Judge Gardephe:

As the Court is aware, I am CJA appointed counsel for Raymond Parker, in the above-captioned matter. I write to request permission to submit an interim voucher for payment in this matter.

Re: <u>United States v. Raymond Parker</u> 19 Cr. 789 (PGG) Defendant #20

On August 13, 2021, Magistrate Judge Moses approved a Deferral of Prosecution Agreement between the Government and Mr. Parker. A control date is set for the contemplated motion to dismiss for February 14, 2022. Given that time frame, I am requesting that the Court grant me permission to submit an interim voucher for payment in this matter at this time.

Previously, I have submitted interim vouchers in this matter under the now-expired Standing Order that allowed for submissions of interim vouchers without prior court approval due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Each of those prior interim vouchers were approved.

If the Court requires any more information, please do not hesitate to reach out to my office.

Thank you.

Respectfully Submitted,

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